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In re Application of:	
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Serial No.: 10/076,632	) Group Art Unit: 1645 )
Filed: February 19, 2002	) Examiner: Not Yet Assigned )
For: NUCLEIC ACIDS, PROTEINS, AND PROCESSES THEREOF SUCH AS USE OF FUSION PROTEINS WHOSE N-TERMINAL PART IS A HIRUDIN DERIVATIVE FOR THE PRODUCTION OF RECOMBINANT PROTEINS VIA SECRETION BY YEASTS	) ) ) ) ) ) .

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Please associate this Declaration with the application as filed on

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